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Enclosed herewith: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form (PTOL-413A); and• Agenda for Telephone Interview.	
Re: Application Serial No. 10/751,317 Attorney Docket No. AUS920030294US1	
Date: April 28, 2009	
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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/751,317

First Named Applicant: Brooks et al.

Examiner: Tang, Kenneth

Art Unit: 2195

Status of Application: Final Office Action

Tentative Participants:

(1) Neil G. Ferrari

(2) Kenneth Tang

(3) _____

(4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 4/29/09

Proposed Time: 2:00 p.m. ET (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:(1) ☒ Telephonic(2) ☐ Personal(3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES☐ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) See Agenda	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Continuation Sheet Attached			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Please see agenda.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Neil G. Ferrari

Examiner/SPE Signature

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

61,484

Registration Number, if applicable

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Brooks et al.**

Serial No.: 10/751,317

Filed: January 2, 2004

**For: Method, System, and Product for
Defining and Managing Provisioning
States for Resources in Provisioning
Data Processing Systems**

§ Group Art Unit: 2195

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§ Examiner: **Tang, Kenneth**

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§ Confirmation No.: 2020

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§ Attorney Docket No.: AUS920030294US1

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AGENDA FOR TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

Sir:

Thank you for agreeing to an Examiner Interview on April 29, 2009 (Wednesday) at 2:00 p.m. EDT. Please consider the following topics for discussion:

Applicants' representative would like to discuss the rejection with the Examiner.
Applicants' representative would like to clarify how the Examiner is interpreting the prior art.
Applicants' representative asks that the Examiner help with proposing amendments to be discussed during the Interview.

The Examiner is invited to call at the below-listed telephone number to confirm or reschedule the requested telephone interview.

DATE: April 28, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

/Neil G. Ferrari/

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